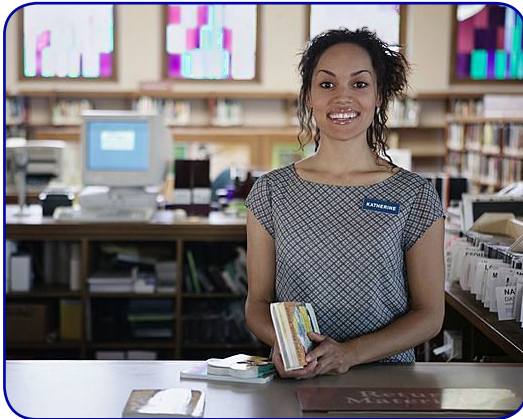


## Welcome to YOUR Library

Salt Lake County Library Services invites you to get to know your local Youth Services Librarians and take advantage of the many free services we offer to educators.



[www.slcolibrary.org](http://www.slcolibrary.org)

## Salt Lake County Library Locations

All libraries can be reached at **943-4636** after 10:00 a.m.

- Bingham Creek Library**  
4834 W. 9000 S., West Jordan 84088
- Columbus Library**  
2530 S. 500 E., South Salt Lake 84106
- Draper Library**  
1136 E. Pioneer Road, Draper 84020
- Herriman Library**  
5440 W. Main St., Herriman 84096
- Holladay Library**  
2150 E. Murray-Holladay Road, Holladay 84117
- Hunter Library**  
4740 W. 4100 S., West Valley City 84120
- Kearns Library**  
5350 S. 4220 W., Kearns 84118
- Magna Library**  
8339 W. 3500 S., Magna 84044
- Millcreek Library**  
2266 Evergreen Ave. (3435 S.), SLC 84109
- Riverton Library**  
12877 S. 1830 W., Riverton 84065
- Sandy Library**  
10100 S. Petunia Way (1405 E.), Sandy 84092
- Calvin S. Smith Library**  
810 E. 3300 S., SLC 84106
- South Jordan Library**  
10673 S. Redwood Road, South Jordan 84095
- Taylorsville Library**  
4870 S. 2700 W., Taylorsville 84118
- Ruth Vine Tyler Library**  
8041 S. Wood St. (55 W.), Midvale 84047
- West Jordan Library**  
1970 W. 7800 S., West Jordan 84088
- West Valley Library**  
2880 W. 3650 S., West Valley City 84119
- Whitmore Library**  
2197 Ft. Union Blvd., SLC 84121

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## Educators at the Library

- Bring your class on a field trip to the library. We can show them what library materials are available and work with you to give direction for specific assignments. We can tailor your visit especially for your needs. Please call your local library to arrange a visit.
- The library offers an extensive collection of recommended reading lists at each location and on our website: [www.slcolibrary.org](http://www.slcolibrary.org). Librarians are always available to help you select appropriate titles.
- You can check out up to 30 items at a time from our collection that includes books, magazines, CDs and DVDs. Salt Lake County Library has a collection of over two million items that include multiple copies of popular and award-winning titles.

## Librarians at Your School

- Librarians are available for school visits. We can tell children about our fun programs, including the Summer Reading Club. We can also do book-talks, teach research skills or read stories.
- Librarians are available to teach research skills to educators. Learn about the databases and other resources we offer, Early Literacy and how to use the Internet effectively and safely.
- Librarians are available to participate in events like Literacy Nights and Back to School Nights at your school.

## Working With Your Library



- Please promote the Salt Lake County Library to your students. Parents can get library cards for children of all ages, and libraries offer many fun and educational programs for families. Consider giving extra credit for participating in library programs and contests.
- Please check with the library to make sure we have information on an assigned topic. Be aware that some older books may be out of print and no longer available.
- Please be flexible when assigning children to find a book with a certain number of pages. Most juvenile non-fiction books, including biographies, are less than 100 pages long.
- When making an assignment that involves research, please be as general as possible to maximize available materials. For example, let children choose which animal to research instead of assigning everyone to do bears.
- Please encourage students to use a variety of resources, including online databases. The library provides access to excellent databases for all ages, providing unlimited access to articles from newspapers, magazines and reference materials.
- Make sure your library has an updated version of any reading lists you are using, like Accelerated Reading lists. We are happy to keep copies of any lists you might be using.

## Databases at Your Library\*

**NoveList** and **NoveList K-8**. Find the perfect book to hook students of all reading levels including picture books, children's chapter books, teen and adult titles.

**Searchasaurus**. Young students can search through thousands of articles, an encyclopedia and extensive information about animals from around the world.

**World Book Encyclopedia** and **World Book Kids**. Age appropriate versions of a trusted resource with lots of interactive features. Check out the crafts, activities and lesson plans included in World Book Kids.

**Biography Resource Center**. Find biographies of the famous and the obscure by birth and death years, places, nationality, and other criteria to create a highly-targeted custom search.

**Tumblebook Library**. A premium collection of "e-books for e-kids," especially appropriate for the early grades; includes an educator's resource page providing grade appropriate classroom activities.

**Gale Virtual Reference Library**. Over 1,000 encyclopedias and specialized reference sources in eBook format. Open 24/7 with no due dates.

**Learning Express Library**. The leading source for test preparation materials and interactive practice exams for official tests. This site has great resources to help prepare for the ACT and SAT exams.

**Mango Languages**. An online language-learning system for Spanish, French, Japanese, German, and many more languages

**LitFINDER**. Find the full text for thousands of poems, plays, stories, speeches, essays and author bios.

\*More databases available at our website.